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Applicant: Bencini
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Introducing Diagnostic And Therapeutic
Apparatus Into The Body
Group Art Unit: 3767
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Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc., having become the owner of all rights in and to the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment executed by the inventor(s) and recorded on Reel 010735, Frame 0458, hereby appoints:

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their attorneys to prosecute said application and to transact in connection therewith all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and before competent International Authorities.

Please note that Scimed Life Systems, Inc. changed its name to Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc. effective January 1, 2005.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc.

Date: July 6, 2006

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On this 15th day of June, 2006 before me personally appeared Paul W. Sandman to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes set forth herein.

None
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